

Nov. 19, 1946

The Executive Board of the N.J. Urban League met on the above date with 7 members present and Mr. Garrison in the chair.

Minutes of the September meeting were read and accepted with correction. Minutes of the October meeting were read & accepted.

Dr. Konvitz had submitted his resignation from the Board and recommended that Mr. Edward Guelkin be considered in filling the vacancy. Dr. Konvitz will be living in France having become a member of the faculty of Cornell. His resignation was accepted with regret upon motion by Mr. Stern seconded by Dr. Parks. The recommendation is being referred to the membership and nominating committee.

A letter had been read from Mrs. Savoy thanking the Board for flowers sent during her recent illness and calling attention to a public meeting being sponsored by the Guild on January 10th.

Mrs. Davidson has resigned as chairman of the Drive in January but will assist Mrs. Savoy who has consented to act as chairman.

Tree report showed:

For Sept Receipts \$101.23	for Oct Receipts \$382.81
Disbursements 172.24	Disbursements 164.64
Balance Oct 1. 384.34	Balance Oct 1. 146.67

Some special gifts were noted:

(Mr. Walter Preder 20.00

(Congregational Church Ed. ?

Louis A. Feat Memorial 50.00

Argyrosky veteran and his wife are now acting as building superintendent and head matron in the League. They came in on Nov. 15th.

The staff will attend one day's sessions of the N.J. Welfare Conference to be held in Hobart Park.

Mr. Wilson will represent the Labor League at the Interacial program sponsored by Bethany Baptist Church on Nov. 20th as part of its 75th Anniversary celebration.

The Industrial Seig had indicated in his report that a recommendation from the league to the Veterans Administration Regional Manager favoring the establishment of a three-man board to review the cases of entitled veterans whose "approved" objection has been blocked or thrown out because of race, color, creed or national origin, would be of great help at this time.

Motion by Mr. Garner seconded by Dr. Parks and carried that the League endorse this recommendation, which originated in the State-wide Veterans' Conference in July, and indicate our stand. The Executive Seig suggested that a copy of the minutes be sent to each board member. Further suggestion by Mr. Abrahamson that a digest of the minutes be sent.

Mr. Garner announced the retirement of Mr. Baumard stating that he would only be in Newark once in a while. His resignation was accepted upon motion by Mr. Garner, seconded by Mr. Abrahamson, an honorary membership being extended at the same time.

A housing conference with the Mayor and Dr. Bocca was reported at which both Interim Emergency Project and low-cost housing for Veterans were discussed, looking forward to legislation. Baptist Terra was cited for its type of rentals.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.